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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

This paper is responsive to an Office communication mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) on January 13, 2003 (Paper No. 37). This paper is also responsive to a "decision on a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b)" ("the Decision") mailed from the USPTO on April 9, 2004 (Paper No. 44). Applicants submit herewith a Renewed Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b). A petition and fee for a one-month extension of time for responding to the Decision, up to and including July 9, 2004, are enclosed. If any further petition or fee is required, please consider this a conditional petition therefor and authorization to charge Deposit Account No. 20-0531.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Sequence Listing** begin on page 6 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 7 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.

**Amendment to the Drawings**

The attached formal drawing sheet includes changes to FIG. 10. Specifically, “SEQ ID NO: 9” has been added and placed adjacent to the “KDEL” amino acid sequence. Applicants request that this sheet replace the previous version of FIG. 10.